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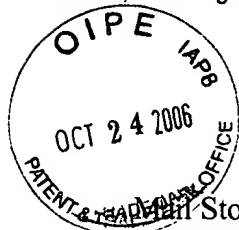
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Re: REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 CFR 1.114
Title: *"Instant Messaging System and Method for Remote Networks
Using Sequential Handshaking Protocol"*
Inventors: Dennis Mendiola et al.
Application No.: 09/928,433
Filing Date: 08/14/2001 Art Unit: 2143
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Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed the following:

- 1) a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) transmittal;
- 2) an RCE submission required under 37 CFR 1.114 (amendment of 13 pages);
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